

# CONTINUATION/DIVISIONAL APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Rule 53(b) Continuation or Divisional)

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Address to: **Assistant Commissioner for Patents**  
**Box PATENT APPLICATION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20231**

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This requests a ☒ Continuation or ☐ Divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of prior application:

Appln. No.: 10/350,084

Group Art Unit: 2816

Filed on: January 24, 2003

Examiner: Zwezig, Jeffery Shawn

Entitled: Semiconductor Integrated Circuit Device

- ☒ 1. The entire disclosure of the pending, prior application is hereby incorporated by reference.
- ☐ 2. Submitted herewith is a copy of the complete prior application as filed.
- ☐ 3. This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior nonprovisional application, 37 CFR 1.53(b)(1). **DELETE** the following inventor(s): \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☒ 4. Submitted herewith is a copy of the signed Oath/Declaration from the prior application.
- ☐ 5. Small entity status was established in the prior application, and is still proper and desired.
- ☐ 6. A \_\_\_ month Petition for Extension of Time is filed concurrently in the prior application.
- ☒ 7. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 08-1480.
- ☒ 8. A check in the amount of \$790.00 for filing and assignment fees is submitted herewith.
- ☒ 9. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: - - This application is a Continuation of nonprovisional application serial number 10/350,085 filed January 24, 2003, which is a continuation of nonprovisional application serial number 09/874,017 filed June 6, 2001.
- ☒ 10. Cancel in this application original claims 1-16 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.
- ☒ 11. The prior application is assigned of record to: Hitachi, Ltd.
- ☒ 12. Priority is claimed based on U.S. Application No. 10/350,085 filed on January 24, 2003, which is a continuation of U.S. Application 09/874,017 filed on June 6, 2001, which claims the priority of Japanese patent applications 2000-185908 filed June 16, 2000 and 2001-119032 filed April 18, 2001.
- ☒ 13. A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- ☒ 14. Other: Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449.

THE FILING FEE IS CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

Basic Fee: \$750.00

Total Claims: 12

- 20 =

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X \$18 =

0.00

Independent Claims: 2

- 3 =

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X \$84 =

0.00

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Multiple Dependent Claim (add \$280.00):

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750.00

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